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Attachment 104

18 August 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR: Kathryn Dyer @ DCI

FROM: J. Barry Harrelson

OFFICE: CSI/HRG

SUBJECT: ARRB Request for DCI McCone's Files

REFERENCE:

Michelle Combs will be at IP Tuesday 19 August to review records and pending requests. What is the status of the ARRB request for DCI files? I have located Job number 80-801285 A [10 boxes], "Files of Director John A. McCone, 1962-1965 in the History Staff. Do you personally plan to review the files before giving access? Normally we restrict access to sensitive files to Gunn and Michelle Combs. Files have to be reviewed in Agency offices and all notes are left with the Agency for review. When boxes contain both relevant and non-relevant folders, we usually give them access to the shelf list and they select the folders they want to review. How do you want to handle these files?

Barry

CC: Eileen Wukitch @ DO
John Pereira @ DCI
David Robarge @ DCI

Sent on 18 August 1997 at 11:39:05 AM

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Kathryn Dyer
Becky Rant @ DA

FROM: J. Barry Harrelson

OFFICE: CSI/HRG

SUBJECT: Records re John McCone and JFK

REFERENCE: FYI

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From the Desk of

*From the Desk of David S. Robarge
DCI/CSI/HS*

NOTE FOR: Perry F. Cox @ DA
FROM: David S. Robarge
OFFICE: CSI
DATE: 08/18/97 12:33:55 PM
SUBJECT: Records re John McCone and JFK

I am the staff historian currently working on a study of John McCone and was asked by Barry Harrelson of the JFK assassination declassification group here at CSI to track down some stray records on the subject. (Gwen Smith) of our staff phoned the Executive Registry and then asked me to write you with the details.) Barry gave me a list of some documents and/or job numbers from an untitled, handwritten page of notes from a member of the House Select Committee on Assassinations in 1978. A verbatim rendering of those notes follows. Some of the material mentioned in items 5 and 6--such as memos for the record, memos of meetings with the President, and transcripts of telephone calls--are in the McCone DCI files in my office, but under different job, box, and file numbers. The job numbers given in items 4-6 below do not correspond to anything in our job number listing. If you have any thoughts on what those jobs are, or on anything else on the following list, please let me know.

1) Envelope labeled "Dulles Papers--for CIA files only--miscellaneous assortment of material for 1964 & 1965" including CIA correspondence (Box 9)

2. Folder labeled "Dulles, Allen W--1953-1966," CIA and other miscellaneous documents and correspondence (Box 14)

3. 7 folders of material--mostly correspondence between Dulles and Rocca (Box 15)

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- 4 Dulles correspondence of:
 - a) 4/24/63 & cy--Helms/DDP from Elder--notes
ER #64-2925
 - b) 11/13/63--orig w/att--ER files from O/DDCI
ER #216/?
5. "Telephone Calls--Eyes Only #2
4 March 64-19 May 64
Box 11 of 75-B-698 (McCone file)
6. Box 8 of 75-B-698/McCone
 - a) meetings w/the Pres 1964
3 April-20 May 64, 1 Jan-2 April 64,
21 May-5 Oct 64
 - b) meetings w/Pres. Johnson
23 Nov 63
- 6 JOB 75-B-698
 - a) Box 2 (Memo for Record)
 - b) Box 6 (Pres'l Brief)
 - c) Box 11 (Telephone calls)
 - d) Box 12 (DCI memo and DCI briefing)
 - e) Box 6 78-B-01454R

Thanks for whatever you can do on this matter. You could also discuss it with Barry Harrelson if you are unable to reach me. Regards.

CC: J. Barry Harrelson
Sent on 18 August 1997 at 12:33:55 PM

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SUBJECT: ARCHIVES RECORDS CENTER SHELF LIST

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JOB NO. RCS OPT DIV BRANCH SECTION DISP CLASS CLASS-BY JS
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						US AND SOVIET NUCLEAR TESTS IN 1961 AND 1962	201262	201262	0
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NOTE FOR: J. Barry Harrelson
FROM: David S. Robarge
OFFICE: CSI
DATE: 08/21/97 01:34:52 PM
SUBJECT: ARRB

I gave Michelle an overview of the relevant McCone files. She plans to look at them Monday afternoon. It should take her no more than a couple of hours.

One item of interest is missing from the files: McCone's memo for the record of his meeting with Mac Bundy on 26 November about the assassination. The document is not marked in the file log as being lost or destroyed, and although the file supposedly contains material up through 30 November, the latest item in it is dated the 13th. Do you have any idea where the 26 November memo might be?

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Folder 8.

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Kathryn Dyer @ DCI

FROM:

J. Barry Harrelson

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CSI/HRG

SUBJECT:

ARRB - McCone Files

REFERENCE:

FYI - Michelle is not reviewing files today; waiting your approval for access. What is your take on the "missing" documents?

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Kathryn Dyer @ DCI

FROM: J. Barry Harrelson

OFFICE: CSI/HRG

SUBJECT: ARRB Request [REDACTED]

REFERENCE:

David Robarge, History Staff, has reviewed the Shelf List for Job # 80B01285A (DCI McCone's Files). He identified 28 folders that fall into JFK assassination related time-frames and that potentially could contain assassination-related documents or information. I am faxing a copy of the shelf list with the folders marked. The request for access appears reasonable. If you approve, access will be limited to Jeremy Gunn and Michelle Combs and the review will take place at IP. Any notes taken or memos prepared will be reviewed for classification. Please advise if there are any additional restrictions to be placed on Jeremy's and Michelle's access to the files.

Thanks and again congratulations on your new job.

Barry

CC: John Pereira @ DCI

Sent on 25 August 1997 at 01:14:56 PM

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TO: David S. Robarge
FROM: Perry F. Cox @ DA
OFFICE: ER
DATE: 08/25/97 12:44:29 PM
SUBJECT: Re: Records re John McCone and JFK

David -

My best guess is.... the old job number 75-B-698 was re-archived under a new job number at some point in time.... probably to add the shelf list data to the electronic database system. Give me the job number/box/folder info for the data you currently have on site to help narrow my search. The other info in items 1-4 may be part of the same job that your current holdings came from. If the material was re-archived, finding some of the info as listed in the handwritten notes from 1978 might involve recalling a large amount of material.... there is no guarantee that the material was re-archived in the same sequence (i.e. - box 9 may not be box 9 in the new job). I will continue to research until I hear from you.... no hits yet.

Perry

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Sent on 25 August 1997 at 12:44:29 PM

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